GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
LOK SABHA

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ALLOTMENT OF LPG DISTRIBUTORSHIP IN MAHARASHTRA
Renge Patil Shri Tukaram Ganpatrao

Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has taken any initiative to allot LPG distributorship in Parbhani and Jalna districts of Maharashtra;

(b) if so, the details thereof for the last three years;

(c) whether the Government proposes to allot more distributorship during the current financial year; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI DINSHAPATEL)

(a) & (b) : Public Sector Oil Marketing Companies (OMCs) have reported that Parbhani and Jalna districts of Maharashtra are presently being catered by 11 and 8 LPG distributorships.

OMCs have further reported that during the last three years, they have commissioned/set up 3 Nos and 1 No. of LPG distributorships in Parbhani and Jalna districts of Maharashtra respectively.

(c) & (d) : OMCs have reported that they have advertised for 3 new LPG distributorships in Jalna district of Maharashtra in September 2007.